



Matthew Dean Long

July 31, 1985 - January 29, 2022

Matthew Dean Long, age 36 of Lewes, DE, passed away on Saturday, January 29, 2022, at his home. He was born on July 31, 1985, in Milford, DE, son of William W. Long Jr. of Oroville, CA and Connie Sue (Barringer) Long of Lewes, DE.

Matt was a graduate of Cape Henlopen High School, Class of 2003. He was a skilled carpenter, employed by Backyard Works, Inc. at the time of his passing. Matt was an avid football fan and a faithful supporter of his beloved Dallas Cowboys. He enjoyed yard work and working around the house, and his ability to quote lines from movies was impressive. Matt was grateful to Oxford House and the residents there, whom he considered family. He was a loving son, brother, uncle, and friend who was loved by many and will be deeply missed.

In addition to his parents, Matt is survived by his daughter, Maddison Long of Lewes, DE; his brother, JR Long (Nicole) of Tonganoxie, KS; his half-sisters: Lori Walker (Dale) of Oroville, CA, Kelly Long of Lewes, DE, and Kimberly Sease of Oroville, CA; 3 nieces, 1 nephew, and 1 great-niece.

All services will be private.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorial contributions to Oxford House, Naboo, 325 North Bedford Street, Georgetown, DE 19947, or at Tack addiction, PO Box 36, Bear, DE 19701.

Please sign the virtual guestbook located on the tribute page.

Tribute Wall

SD

“ Matt was a very sweet person from a little kid to an adult. He always had the biggest heart and such a beautiful smile. My deepest condolence to his daughter, Mother and Father and family. Rest in peace Matthew. Love, Your classmate Shermaine Dunning.

Shermaine Dunning - February 08 at 03:41 PM

JR

“ Matt was a great friend and had a heart of gold. We were friends during our days at Cape Henlopen High School and remained friends for 20 years after graduation. I am so sad that he has left us, but I know he is in the arms of an angel and he will be with us all. Sending thoughts and prayers to his daughter, Maddison and all of his family. You will be missed so much!

Jenn Ring - February 08 at 03:11 PM

TF

“ **THE COMPASSIONATE FRIENDS**
We are so very sorry for the loss of your child. The Compassionate Friends is a nonprofit, self-help support organization offering friendship and understanding to bereaved parents, siblings, and grandparents. There are no religious affiliations, membership dues, or fees. We meet together to learn to cope with the struggles of living life without our precious children. Please feel free to join us on the second Thursday of each month at 7:00 PM in the Branford Lounge at Epworth Methodist Church on Holland Glade Road, Rehoboth Beach, Delaware. For more information call 610-368-0236. We wish you peace and healing. Your Compassionate Friends

The Compassionate Friends - February 07 at 04:45 PM

RW

“ Maddison, Connie and Jr & family my deepest sympathy goes out to you and just know that my thoughts and prayers go out to you all! R.I.P. Matt and I know you'll always watch over your family until you meet again. You are now free to fly with the angels 🙏 above.



Rachel Watts - February 06 at 12:22 PM

RG

“ So sad to hear of Matt’s passing. Our prayers are with the family. God Bless! Love Rose Di Giuseppe and Family



Rose Di Giuseppe - February 06 at 12:02 AM

DL

“ Love you forever Uncle Matt!



Destiny Long - February 05 at 07:27 PM

DD

“ I’m so sad you left us Matt, you were so loved. I’ll always be your Aunt DotDot and I am glad we got to visit, it meant a lot to me.
Rest peacefully Matt

Dott, Matt’s aunt DotDot - February 05 at 01:51 PM

DP

“ Sending hugs and prayers to Maddison, Ms. Connie, and family and friends.



Dr. Doris Person - February 05 at 12:58 AM

GW

“ Damn matt. So sorry to hear this. I hoped you would have gotten this together now. Good dude just too many negative temptations. Rip bro. Look over us and your family.

Gene washington - February 04 at 06:07 PM

MI

“ I truly hope that you will know now how much you were loved by so many. Our thoughts and prayers go out to your Mom and family. I am so angry with you - I truly thought you had it this time you had so much to live for, damnit. This is breaking so many hearts, we love you...

Michele - February 04 at 12:14 PM

DH

“ We are so sorry for the loss of Matt.
We will always keep Maddison in our prayers.
Robert and Dawn Hutchison



Dawn and Robert Hutchison - February 03 at 11:39 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Matthew Dean Long.



February 03 at 11:28 PM

JW

“ U will be missed!! Keep looking down on us!!



Jess Weir - February 03 at 06:19 PM